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## **Assembly and Senate Select Committees on Biotechnology**

**Informational Hearing: "Investing in the Future:  
Science education programs creating the globally competitive workforce of the future"**

**Monday, December 7, 2009 @ 11:00am  
Life Technologies, 5791 Van Allen Way, Carlsbad**

- 1. Welcome from Life Technologies (10 minutes)**
- 2. Opening Remarks from Committee Chairs & members (5 minutes)**
  - Assemblymember Jerry Hill, Chair, Assembly Select Committee on Biotechnology
  - Senators Mark Wyland, Christine Kehoe, and Lou Correa
  - Assemblymembers Martin Garrick, Mary Salas, Joel Anderson, Diane Harkey
- 3. Overview on K-12 interface (10 minutes)**
  - Nancy Taylor, San Diego Science Alliance and SD County Office of Education
- 4. How biotechnology workforce development has been integrated into ConnectED's Linked Learning program (formerly Multiple Pathways) (10 minutes)**
  - Rob Atterbury, ConnectED California
- 5. Building a Biotechnology Workforce through Multiple Partnerships (10 minutes)**
  - Judith A. Kjellstrom, PhD, Director, UC Davis Biotechnology Program
- 6. Overview on Community College Interface (10 minutes)**
  - Sandy Slivka, Southern CA Biotechnology Center, Miramar College, San Diego
- 7. Overview on university interface (10 minutes)**
  - Susan Baxter, California State University

**What the industry is doing about it...**

- 8. Pfizer Science Education Committee (outreach efforts around science in schools) (5 minutes)**
  - Dennis Ryan, Pfizer – Pfizer's science education cmte and school science outreach efforts
- 9. Biogen-Idec's community lab (5 minutes)**
  - Annie Glidden, Biogen-Idec – will speak about Biogen-Idec's community lab
- 10. Role of Company Foundations in supporting science education (5 minutes)**
  - Marilyn Parks, Life Technologies Foundation – will speak about the role of Company Foundations in supporting science education
- 11. BIOCOM Institute (10 minutes)**
  - Susan Baxter, CSU – will speak about the BIOCOM Institute Speakers Bureau
  - Sandy Slivka, Miramar College SD – will speak about BIOCOM's Life Sciences Institute

**12. Public Comment**

 **Complimentary lunch provided by Life Technologies**